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Popularly known as "Inchy" among the
players here is the latest action picture of
Adrian Heath, the local boy from Silverdale
fast making a name for himself in the First
Division.

CITY ACTION



COVENTRY CITY 1 STOKE CITY 3

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Garth Crooks had an impressive international debut and his goals were just reward for a fine performance.

We welcome Bolton Wanderers to the Victoria Ground for this afternoon's game. After two successive defeats it is imperative we get a result today. It is a long time since I have experienced the disappointment that was evident in the dressing room after the Aston Villa game. The side however, will put this all behind them and the spirit in training has been first class this week.

Wally Gould, Tony Lacey and myself battled through to Leicester on Tuesday evening to the fog filled ground where Garth Crooks had an impressive international debut and his goals were just reward for a fine performance. The Bulgarians were obviously not happy in the fog and despite having some good touch players, were not physically strong enough to cope with the constant English pressure.

We have a busy week ahead for most of our coaching and playing staff as our reserve side and youth sides play next Tuesday and Wednesday. We have a Staffordshire Senior Cup game at Redditch on Tuesday evening and the youth team will be hoping to make further progress in the F.A. Youth Cup at Bedford on Wednesday night.

Our injury problems have been increased by Geoff Scott's thigh strain this week but on a happier note, Eric McManus has resumed full training and should play in the 'A' side today.

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GARTH CROOKS

FOLLOW THAT

In my previous home programme notes I told the story of Mike Turner the soon-to-be-wed young man from Cheadle who won £1,000 on a Stoke City Lottery ticket while waiting for his girl friend shopping in a Cheadle Supermarket. Just a week later Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson of 10 Croxden Close, Cheadle went to the same Supermarket and bought one ticket each. This time it was the lady, Doreen Stevenson who scratched off the lucky ticket with the three £1,000 symbols.

I did say in telling the Mike Turner story don't hang about doing nothing the next time you go to a Supermarket or a Car Wash. Get a Stoke City Lottery ticket. Win a thousand pounds. There's still £30,000 to be won before Christmas. Incidentally in the last month the top prize of £1,000 has been won by twelve people, four of them at Cheadle.

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So just to get you into the swing of things — this week's Caption Competition is from last season's game against Oldham, proving that it's "Snow joke".

Two Free Stand Tickets will go to the sender of the most amusing entry. Closing date 21st November.



Once again we had an enormous response to our Caption Competition. Eventually we decided to award the First Prize to Trevor W. Helton of 46 Haslemere Ave., Milton, S.O.T. who sent in several suggestions, the best of which was: "Now this time Bren, don't head it!"



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CLUB CALL

Wally Gould — City's popular Coach — has still retained the accent of his county Yorkshire. Born in Rotherham, Wally's first club was Sheffield United and his most memorable game was making his debut for the Steelmen against Liverpool. He scored in that game and was to score many more goals for York City and Brighton. A tenacious left winger Wally once scored 22 goals from the flank position for the team once called Brighton and Hove Albion.

After leaving the South Coast he settled in South Africa, played for Durban United and Hellenic and at one period was player-manager in South Africa and appeared in both League and Cup Finals, before George Eastham brought him back to Stoke in 1977.

He prefers players like Denis Smith who he describes as a "real pro". In his early days he was influenced by two famous managers, Joe Mercer and Archie MacAuley. In his leisure time Wally plays all kinds of sports above average — cricket, badminton and golf. In all games he always plays to win and tries to instill this same determination and courage into the young professionals in his charge. Wally has spent his entire life in Football and hopes one day to achieve his ambition to become a League Manager.

Wally is married to Ann and has two sons Shaun and Ian.





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leading clubs of the Southern League and its Northern equivalent. There was bitter wrangling over the idea between clubs and officials of the parent Leagues, who thus,

Do we really need a much smaller Football League, as we are often told — or a much larger one, as I tend to believe, myself? The matter has been brought to a head this season by the birth of the new football Alliance, made up from

at a stroke lose most of their strongest teams. Those who objected believe, and who is to gainsay them, that the massive extra travelling expenses incurred by these part time clubs will cripple them. It will be no joke for

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ENDING LEAGUE

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Weymouth, from the deep South West, to make trips to Lancashire.

At the bottom of this gamble, however, lies evident desperation. The clubs involved clearly see themselves as a potential future Fifth Division at best, a gateway to the Fourth Division at worst. They are tired of waiting forever in the wings, of being rejected time and again by the Annual General Meeting of the Football League.

We have 92 League clubs, and it used to be 88. It seems to be a great many, especially in these straightened times, until you realise that the Italians have 252!

Italian Way

These are divided as follows. Serie A, the First Division, has a mere 16 clubs. Some think it too few, especially when three of them go down this season into the 20 team Second Division, Serie B. Next comes Serie C 1, the top section of the Third Division, with two sections of eighteen clubs each, A and B. The second echelon, C 2, is bigger, with four zones of eighteen clubs each. Finally, you get down to the Fourth Division, Serie D, which has six sections of eighteen clubs.

Below Serie A and Serie B, which are full professional, the Leagues and their players are known as semi-professionals; part timers, as we would call them. It isn't strictly so; the leading clubs in C 1 seem to have plenty of money to throw around. Many of their men are full time players, and when gallant little Sutton United of the Isthmian League went out to the Abruzzi to play the Final of the Anglo-Italian Cup against Chieti of C 1, they and their genuine part timers were up against players earning as much as £7,000 a year.

I saw that game and was enormously impressed by the skill, stamina, fight and organisation of the Sutton team which, after all, had only a modest season in the Premier Division of the Isthmian League.

Raised Standards

Since the abolition of amateurism, such clubs have been enabled to sign players who have had brief, ultimately unsuccessful, professional careers. It has made all the difference. Sutton's centre-half Dave Dyer, for example, joined Birmingham City as a boy, an apprentice pro, and had several years there before they finally decided to release him. He looks a fine player; the seasons of full time training and coaching have emphatically left their mark.

The advent of such, previously proscribed, players in the Isthmian and Athenian League has meant a substantial raising of standards, a blurring of distinctions between them and competitions such as the Southern League. Moreover, Southern League teams can, in the great traditions of Yeovil, Colchester of bygone days and the rest, give fine accounts of themselves against League opposition. Before this season started, I saw little Dorchester United of the Southern League run into a three goal lead against Fourth Division Portsmouth, once Cup holders and twice League Champions, before eventually running out winners by 3-2.

True, it was only a friendly, but the confident, methodical, often incisive football played by Dorchester, who themselves included one or two ex-League players of stature, was praiseworthy.

One League

This blurring of standards seems to me to make it more than ever desirable that our professional football should be standardised, and brought under the same banner; ideally that of the Football League. Since the clubs, some years ago, rejected the League's pattern of football things have stood still. A club or two has come into the League, a club or two has dropped out. What has not, alas, stood still is the crippling cost of running a League football team; at any level. Wages in the lower divisions don't remotely match those of the First and Second, yet the irony of it is that these clubs have just as much travelling to do and now the clubs of the Alliance will have to do it as well.

Until 1957, there was no Fourth Division, merely a Third Division divided into North and South sections of 22 clubs each. Only one team went up from each division; bitterly unfair to those who came second. None felt the iniquitousness of it more than poor Plymouth Argyle, who between the wars somehow managed to take second place in the Third Division (South) six seasons in a row. I also remember a most talented Norwich City team which knocked Liverpool out of the F.A. Cup in 1951, and eventually, slowly, disintegrated — one reason why I am glad to see Norwich in the First Division, now.

Diminishing Crowds

Unfortunately, the de-zoning of the Third Division coincided with the gradual decline of attendances from the remarkable boom years which followed the Second World War. In consequence, the powerful have prospered, and the weaker have declined. The circle is vicious indeed. It was always hard for Third Division clubs to hang on to their players, but now — with the occasional acceptance of a Don Rogers of Swindon — it is all but impossible. The maximum wage, which kept such players in the Third, has long since gone; diminishing crowds have seen to it that such clubs cannot match First and Second Division opposition financially.

For a long time, part time, re-zoned, football has been held out as the panacea for our struggling Third and Fourth Division clubs. But why only for them? Why shouldn't the League be vastly extended in the Italian fashion, with big lower divisions, all abundantly zoned, giving every little club, so to speak, a field marshal's baton in its knapsack? It is hard to see who'd lose by it.

Watford pictured here defending their goal are one of the few clubs to have made the difficult climb from the lower Divisions to within reach of Soccer's Summit — the first Division.



Stoke City goalkeeper Roger Jones saves during City's Saturday afternoon game with Ipswich.

Make Fixtures More Flexible

A progressive suggestion to entice back the fans — but is it the end for Saturday Soccer?

By COLIN BENSON

Football League attendances are dropping, 119,000 down on last season's figures over the opening four week period to be precise — and there is nothing like falling gates to set the alarm bells ringing through the corridors of power.

Of course, there are no end of reasons given for the decline, from hooliganism to admission prices, the alternative of sport on television to the standard of play on the field and, no doubt there is a modicum of truth in all these points. But for Dudley Kernick, the Commercial Manager at Stoke City, and one of the most respected men in his profession, the answer lies in the timing of our games.

Summer football is Mr. Kernick's answer to the emptying terraces, but he is not suggesting a straight switch over in the months of the season, so that the fixtures are all played on Saturday's in the summer. What he would like to see is, "flexibility" of fixtures.

A Family Show

He explains his thinking on this mat-

ter: "At Stoke, I would say, we should play on a Thursday night, kick off eight o'clock, so the husband would be allowed to come and possibly bring his wife and children with him. Then, when he finishes work on a Friday he would be free to take his family away for the weekend, and in this way, football does not intrude on his home life.

"Now at Blackpool they could stage their game on a Saturday night or Sunday afternoon, this would give us the elasticity they have in America over their fixtures, to get bigger crowds. Because, if you want to get people through the turnstiles you have to play matches when the people want to go.

"Every club has a hard core of supporters, but the money is made on the floaters that come in. At Stoke, we want to attract the 10,000 or so floaters we can get, while clubs like Colchester or Torquay would be chasing another 3,000 fans".

Weather

The feeling is that the 'floater' would be far more inclined to step out into the fresh air of summer to see his local team, than he would in the cold and wet of winter. People are far more likely to put up with problems of transportation on a warm evening than in three degrees of frost, and Dudley Kernick quippes. "On a nice

fine evening, people would probably enjoy walking the mile to the ground from their parked car, because we don't get enough exercise, do we. We would be contributing to the country's fitness".

One of the immediate objections to the flexible fixtures idea that springs to mind, is the loss of revenue from the pools. The Pools Promoters Association pay the Football League nearly £3 million per season and if the fixtures were decimated from a regular Saturday afternoon spot this income would cease.

Yet, Dudley Kernick says, "The money we get from the Pools, compared to what the Development Associations and the commercial side of soccer pump in, is just a flea bite, it is nothing.

"It seems sensible to me to play in the better weather when people want to come and watch you. It would also improve our sales of programmes and souvenirs, because in the winter people do not like having to take their gloves off to put their hands in their pocket".

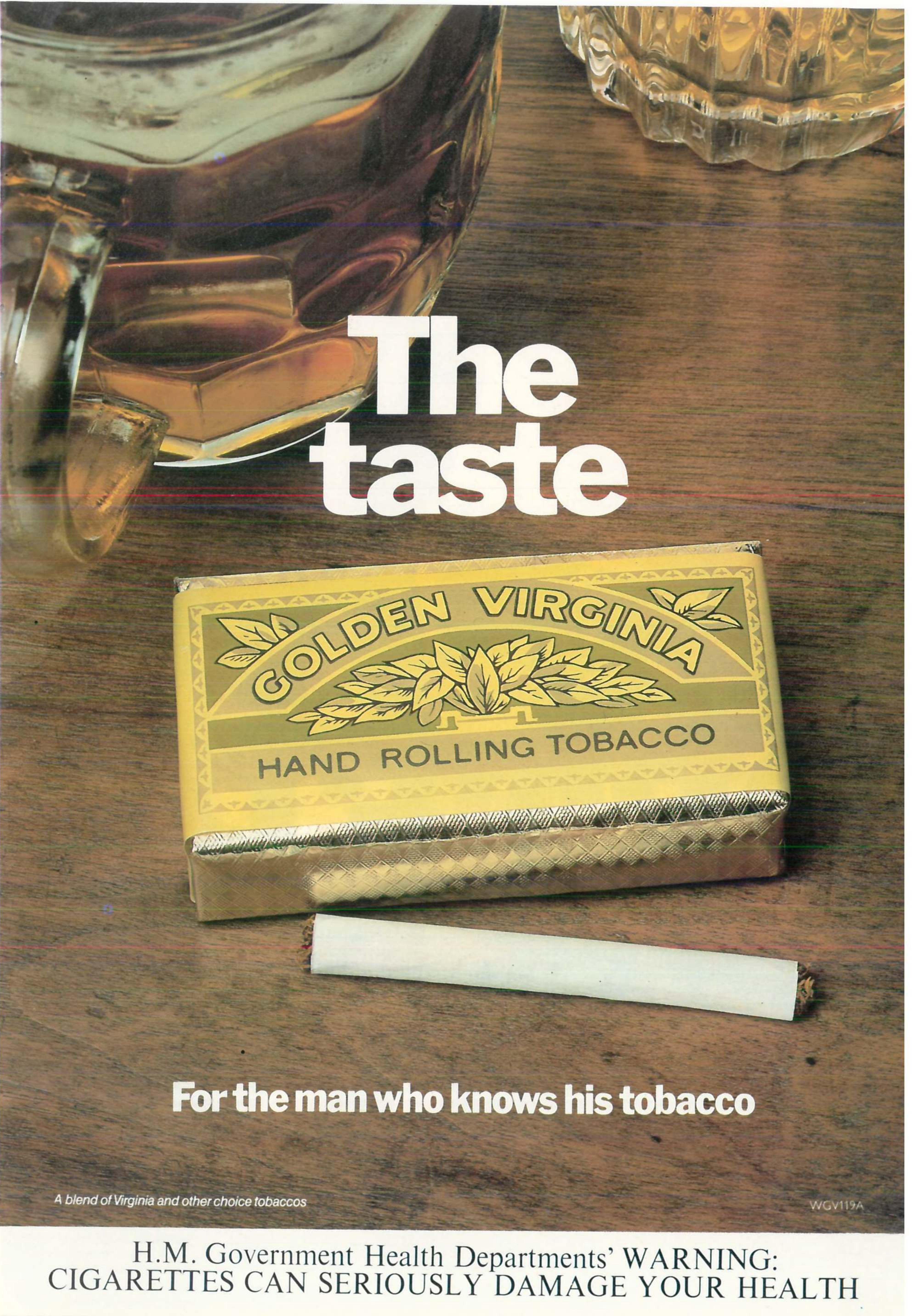
There is a lot of common sense in this proposal. For even the television companies realise the attraction of the outdoor life in summer, and economise (don't they just) during this period by transmitting repeat shows. But the low attendance figures for August suggest that perhaps summer soccer is not the answer, indeed many think that the season should not commence until September.

To be fair however, the comparison of Mr. Kernick's suggestions with that of the current format of Saturday afternoon fixtures played at the height of the summer season is far from equitable. The idea of flexible fixtures certainly warrants serious consideration.

What are your feelings as supporters? We will be delighted to hear your views on when you would like to see your favourites perform. Drop a line to Colin Benson, the Editor, Programme Plus, Sportopia Promotions Limited, 172-176 The Highway, London E1 9DD.



Dudley Kernick the Commercial Manager at Stoke City.

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STAR REVIEW

Sir Alf Ramsey once described him as a player "ten years ahead of his time". That unprecedented tribute after England's World Cup triumph in 1966 has undoubtedly become a burden.

But his skill and talents have stood the test of time and Peters dismisses the prediction as "flattering".

Pleasing

"When Sir Alf made the statement I was obviously pleased, even if I did come in for a fair bit of ribbing afterwards.

"But I feel that I have lived up to it by playing all my career — bar ten games — in the First Division. That is the most pleasing thing for me personally."

What is the secret of his consistency? Says Peters: "I feel that I have learned to pace my game better. And I have always tried to enjoy my football.

"Playing in midfield can be a very demanding job. You are always in the centre of the action.

"I did a lot more running off the ball in my days with West Ham and Spurs. Now the ball is played to me and I feel that I'm capitalising on my experience.

Bonus

"Passing has always been one of my great strengths and with the talented kids we have coming through at Norwich now, it has made things easier for me and I am relishing the responsibility of starting rather than finishing off moves".

Peters reckons his £45,000 move to Norwich from Spurs in March 1975 has been one of the most rewarding — both financially and professionally — in a distinguished career sprinkled with 67 full England caps and a wealth of honours.

Ray Bradley

of the 'Sunday Express' looks at a man of many seasons.

MARTIN PETERS

Amidfield maestro of few words, modestly dismissed a brilliant League Cup display against Manchester United last month as "a pleasing performance".

Manager John Bond, a man of many words, summed up Peters' super display in a 4-1 win as "a devastating performance that should put him right back in the England squad".

Bond then added proudly: "There is no better midfield player in the country on current form. Peters is a player who is impossible to mark when he hits peak form.

Credit

"He is a marvellous professional; a credit to the game and on present form looks capable of playing until he is 40!"

The profusion of praise that greeted another masterly display by Peters that night in Carrow Road is unlikely to turn the head of one of Britain's most modest professionals.

But then, he is used to taking tributes in his elegant stride and at the ripe old age of 35 continues to turn in vintage performances.

Test of Time

For the past 20 years, since he first blossomed out as a fresh-faced Dagenham schoolboy, Peters has proved that there is no substitute for class even in an era dominated by graft and robot running.

"I have had four seasons with the club and they have been the happiest in my career," he admits. "At 35, I am enjoying my game as much as ever. There is always this feeling in the back of your mind that the end is near, so every game is a bonus.

Peerless

"Right now, the team is doing so well it is just a pleasure to be picked. Young players like Kevin Reeves and Justin Fashanu are coming through quickly and there is an air of expectancy at the club... the feeling that we are going to win something big".

The future? "Well, I hope to be around for at least a couple of seasons and after that, I would like to stay in the game in some capacity — perhaps, in the coaching or management side".

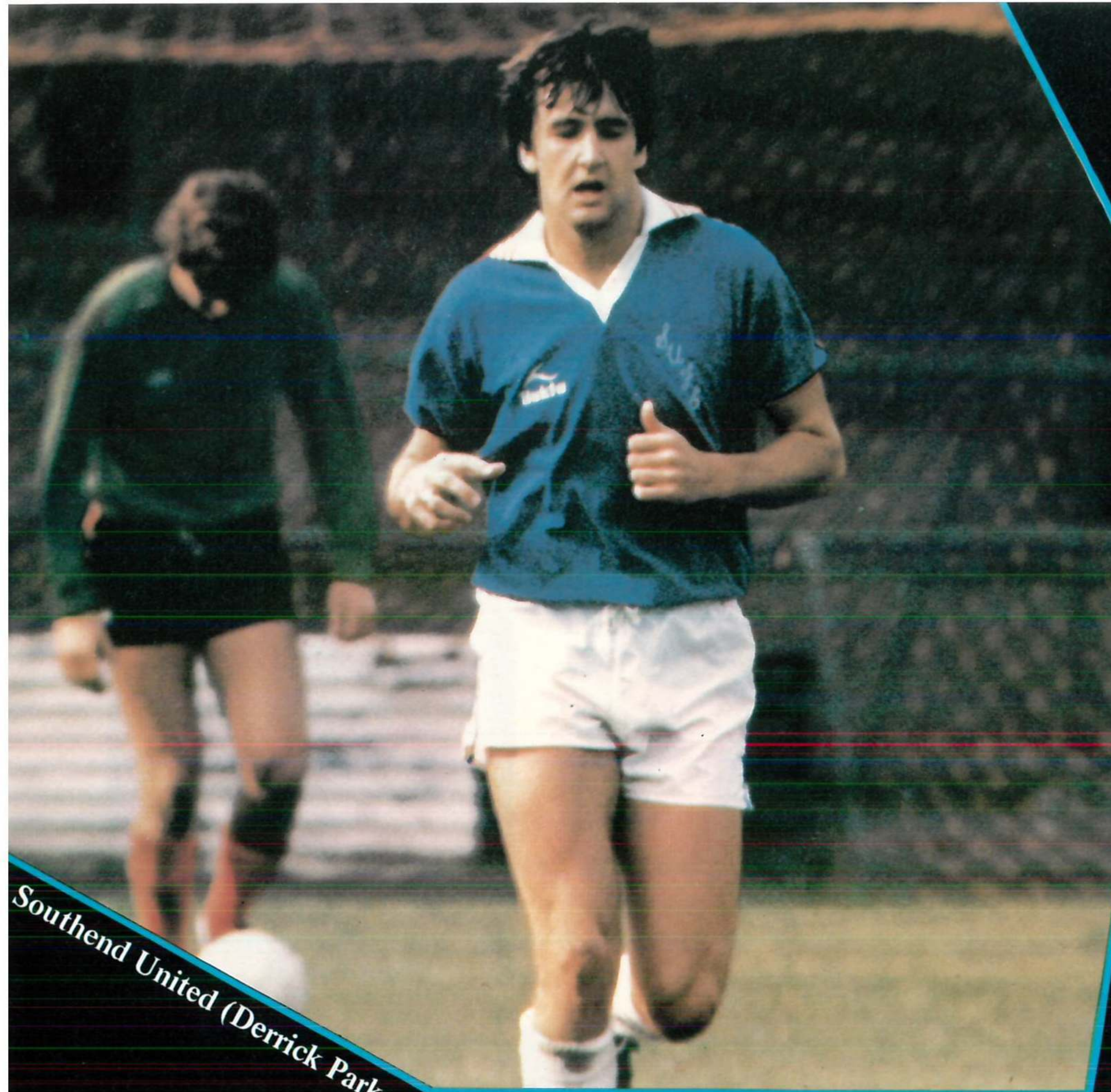
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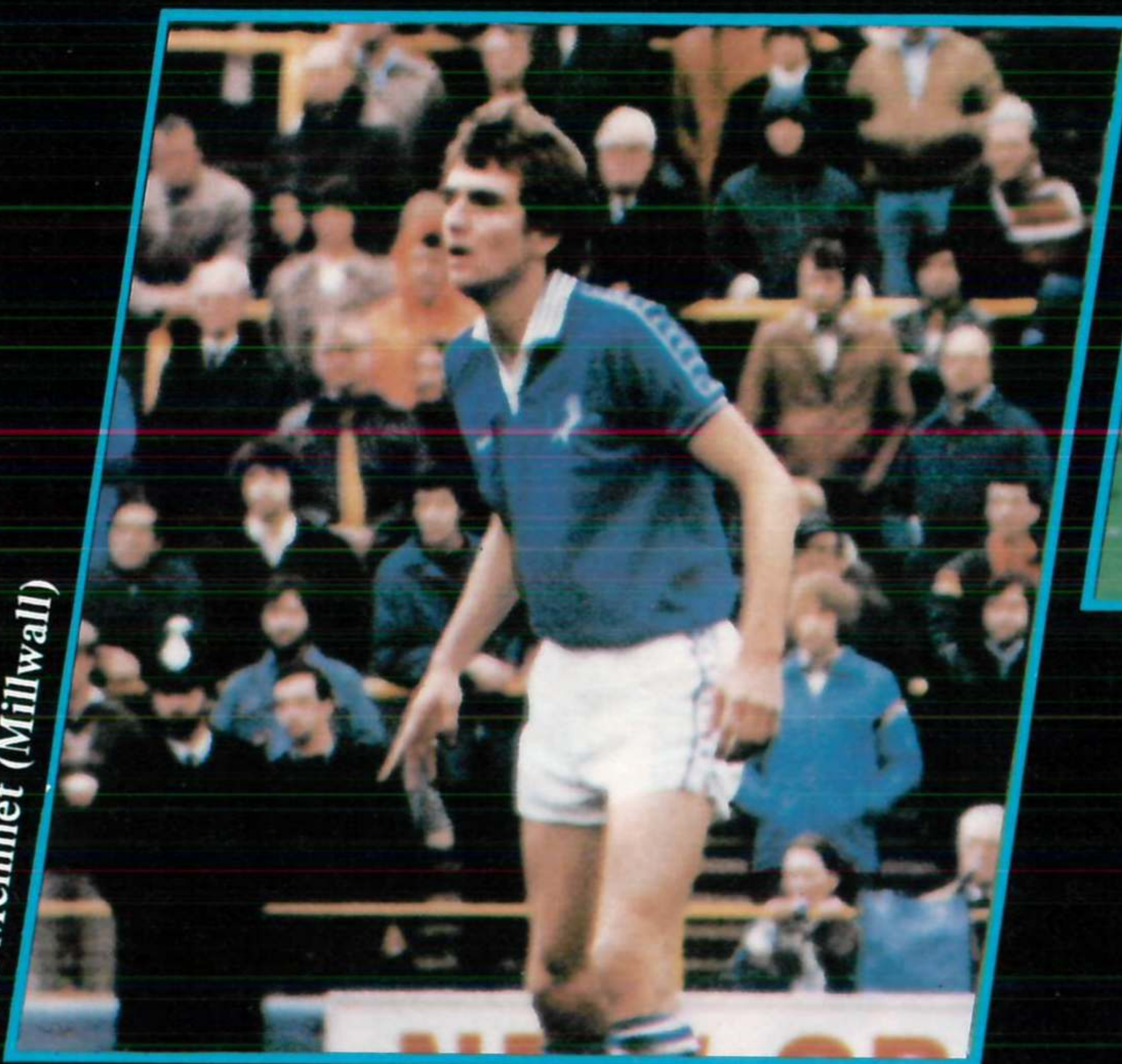


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Southend United (Derrick Parker)



Dave Mehmet (Millwall)

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A pictorial review of your favourite players throughout the World of soccer.



Tommy English (Coventry)



Addison aims for Stability

By COLIN BENSON

After three months at the helm, the new Derby County management team of Colin Addison and John Newman made the first moves in their gradual rebuilding programme. They enlisted the services of striker Roger Davies signed from Tulsa Roughnecks for £40,000 and defender Steve Emery from Hereford, at a cost of £400,000.

"We had to sell to buy", confirms manager Colin Addison, so Steve Wicks moved on to Queens Park Rangers for £300,000 rejoining his former boss, Tommy Docherty and Colin Chesters travelled back to his hometown of Crewe.

Katalinic

It then seemed that Derby had secured a bargain, when they announced the signing of Yugoslav international goalkeeper Ivan Katalinic, who had displayed some remarkable talents during his ten day trial at the Baseball Ground. But the deal fell through when Derby failed to get his clearance certificates.

This was unfortunate, for Addi-

son admits that money is very scarce at Derby and explains; "Where in England can we get a player of his experience for £170,000? We can't. If you go down to the Third and Fourth Divisions you will probably be asked £150,000 for a player who has not kicked a ball in a higher grade of football".

Astute Buys

Since the setback Derby have continued to strengthen their side with two astute buys from Coventry City within a week. The first was defender Keith Osgood who looked a future international while at White Hart Lane, but failed to establish himself at Highfield Road. And the second was talented Barry Powell, a 25 year old creative midfield player.

Derby's young manager is anxious to dispell the theory that he is going to have a clean sweep of the playing staff at the Baseball Ground. While admitting that he is still on the look out for one or two players he says, "What have a lot of good players we must not think that everybody is going. It has been a bit like Crewe station here recently, but I

am now trying to bring stability to the place".

Setbacks

The 'Rams' have had their fair share of injury problems recently and suffered a terrible setback when Gerry Daly had to go into plaster with knee ligament trouble and then Roy McFarland joined him on the sidelines. Yet, generally speaking, the management duo of Addison and Newman have been pleased with the response they have received from the players.

"I was under no illusions, I expected a hard battle", says Addison. "We have had our little setbacks and we have now got to show more consistency, but overall, I think we are winning".

It is the managers bubbling personality that is the key to Derby's survival. Climbing into his Mercedes following his sides 4-0 defeat at Southampton he was far from despondent. "It is results like this that make you more eager to get on with the job and set it right", he told an eager audience of press men. With an attitude like that, how can Derby fail?

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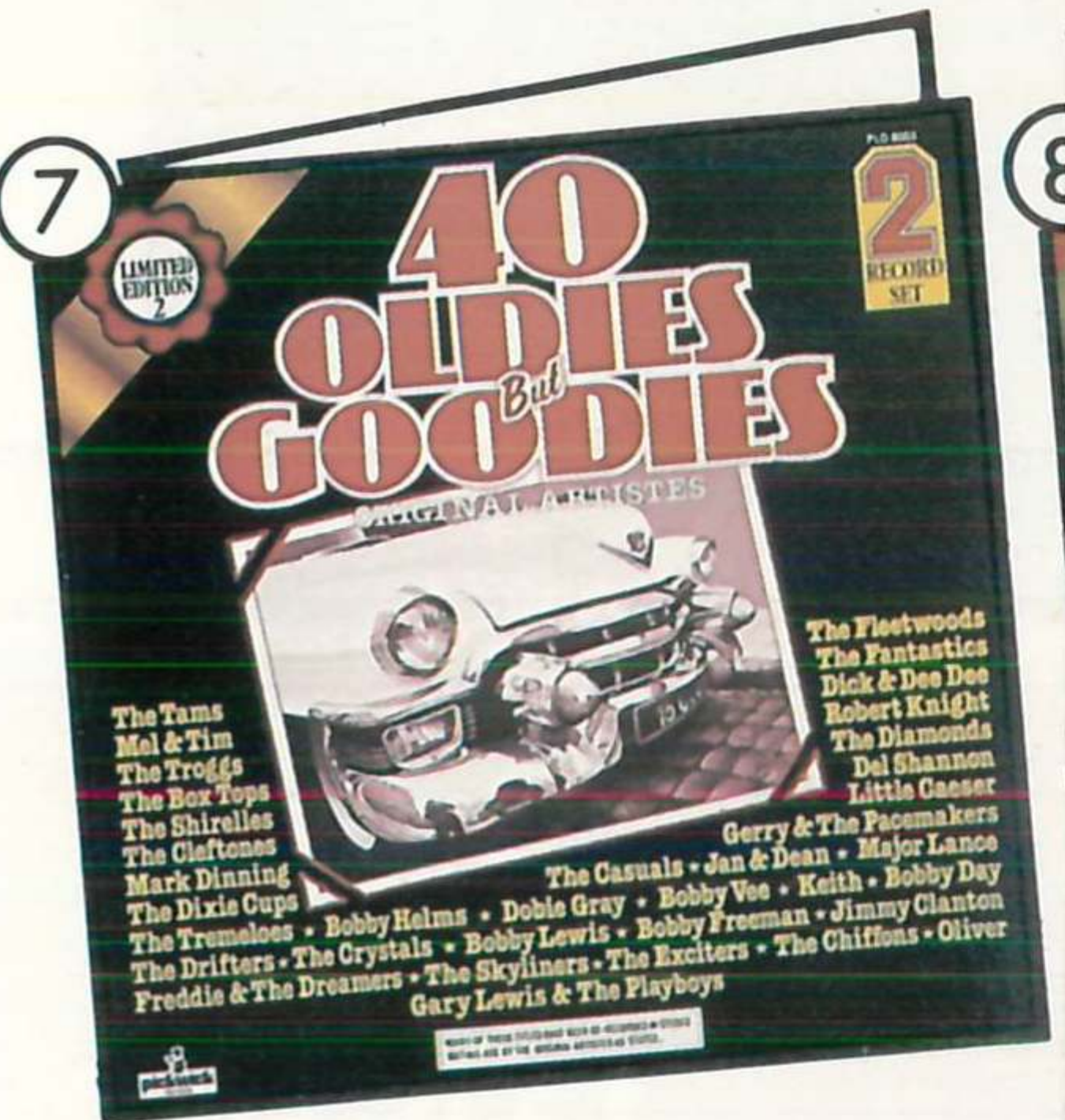
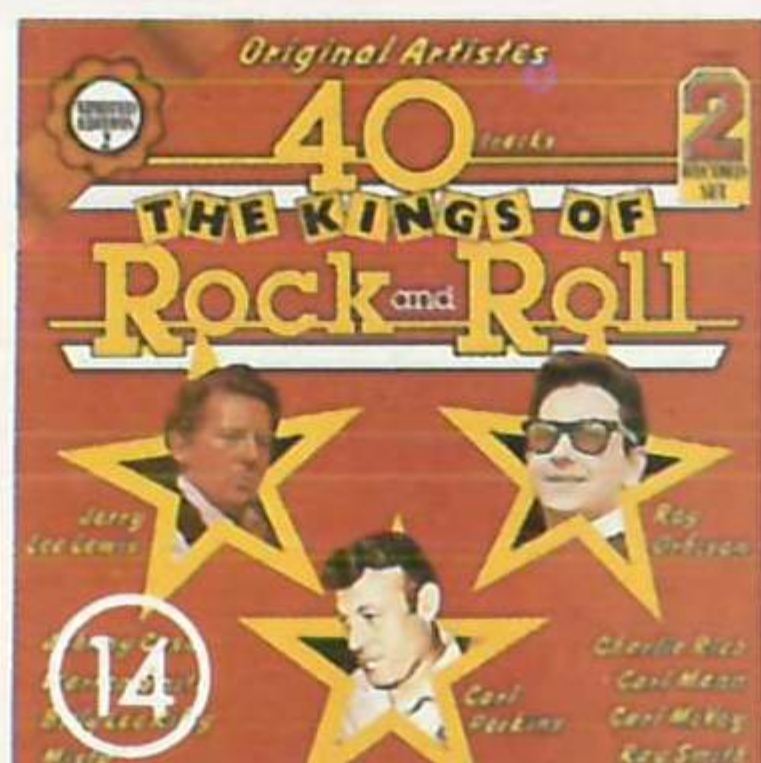
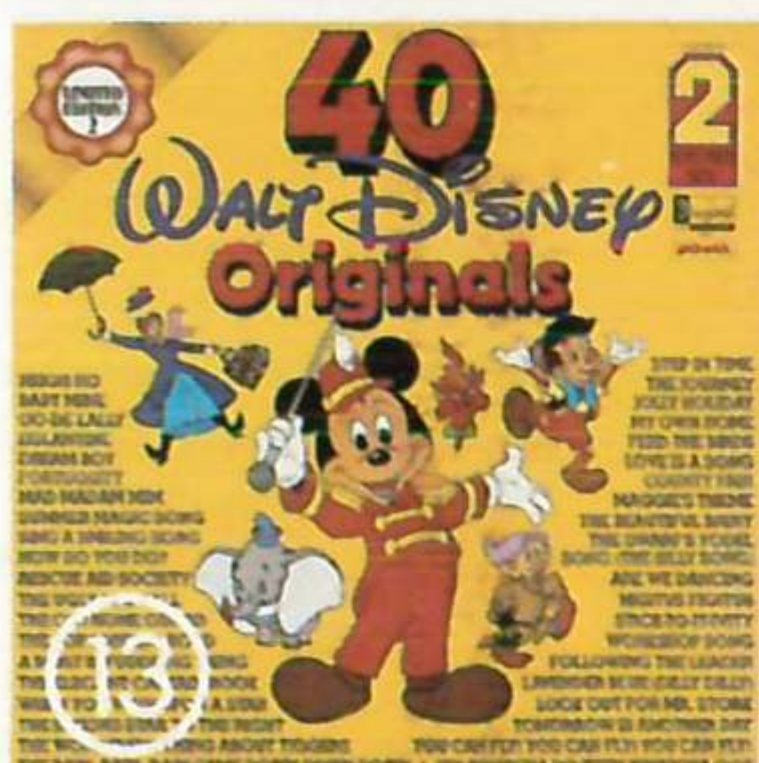
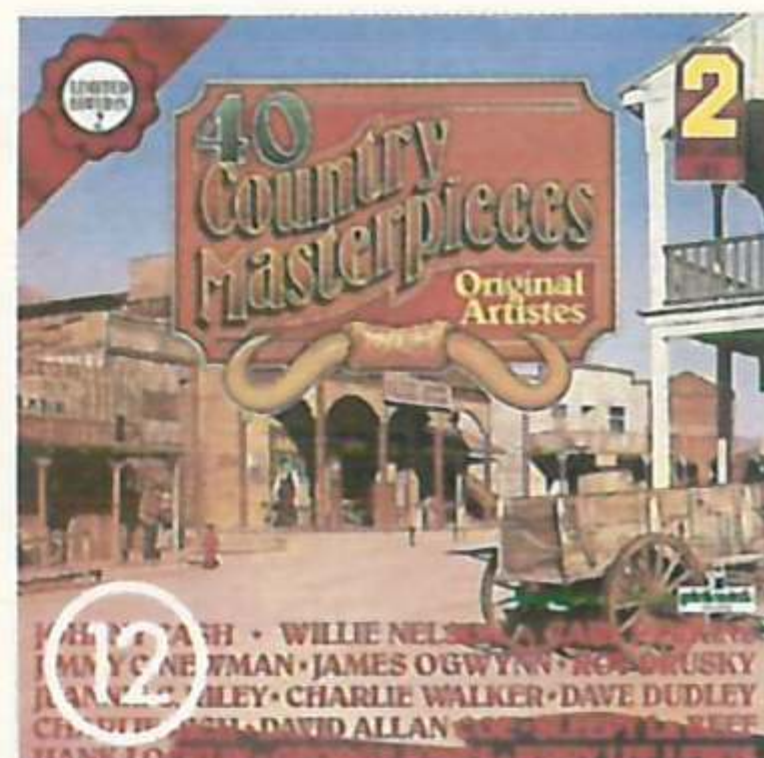
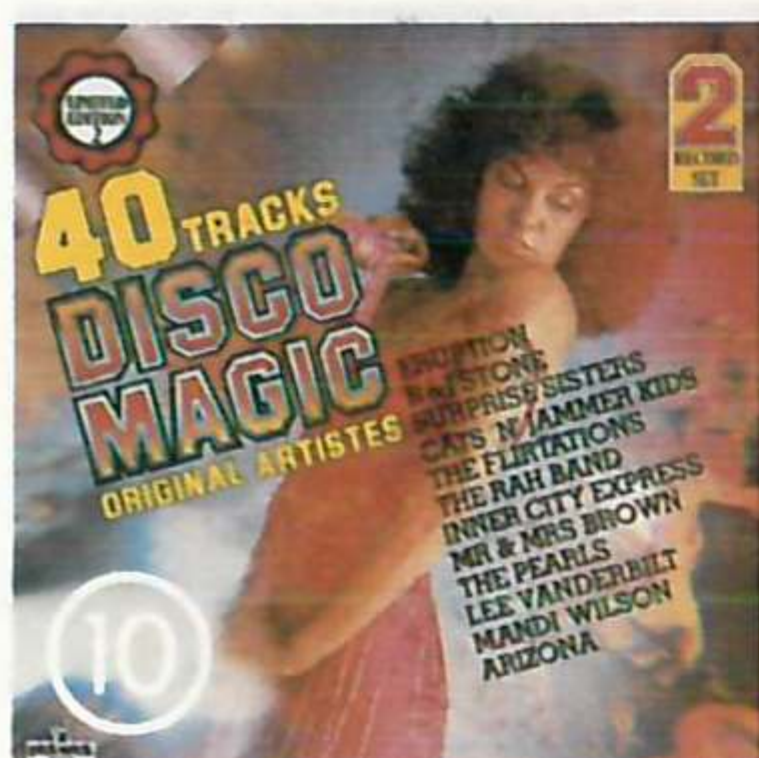
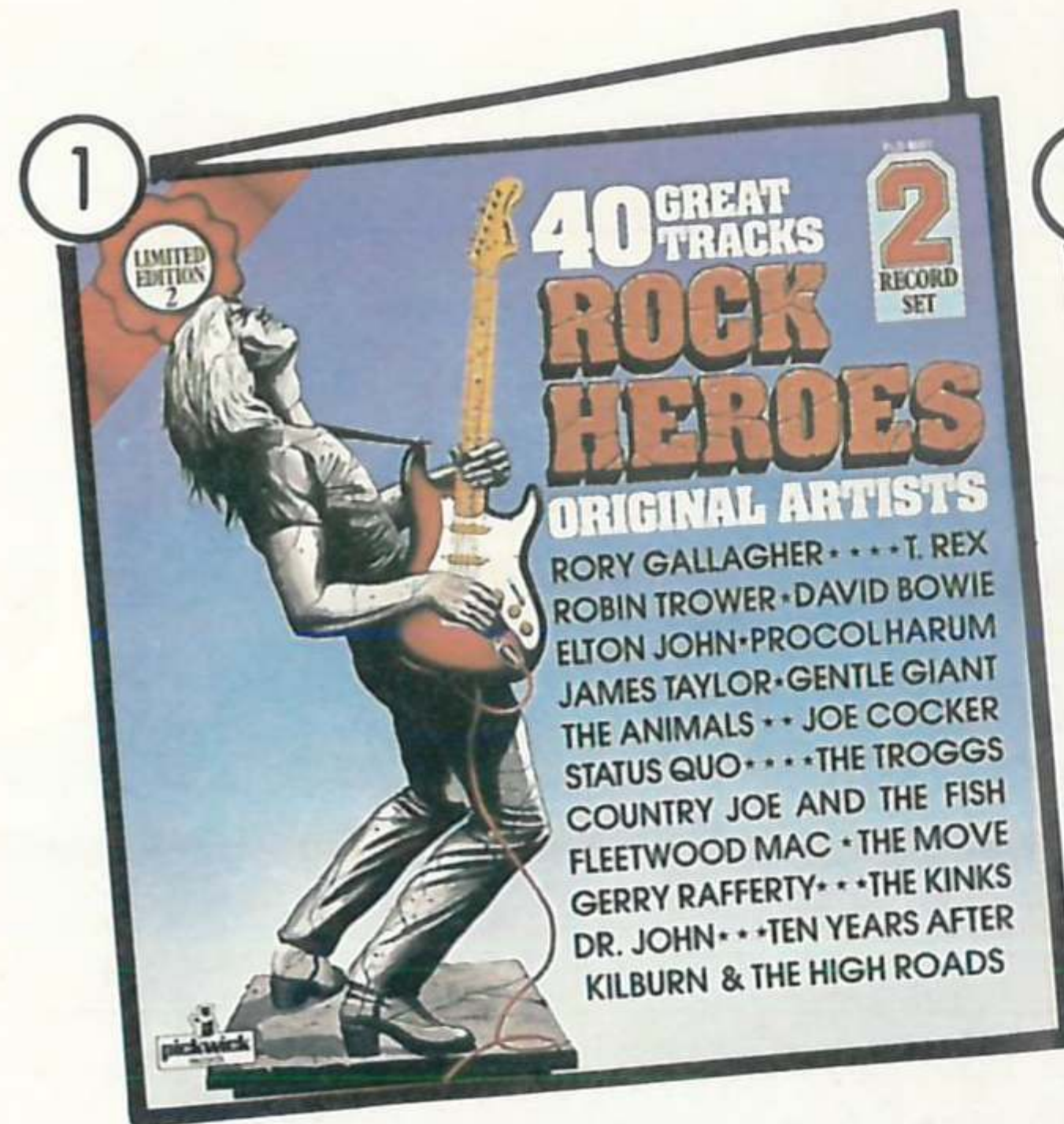
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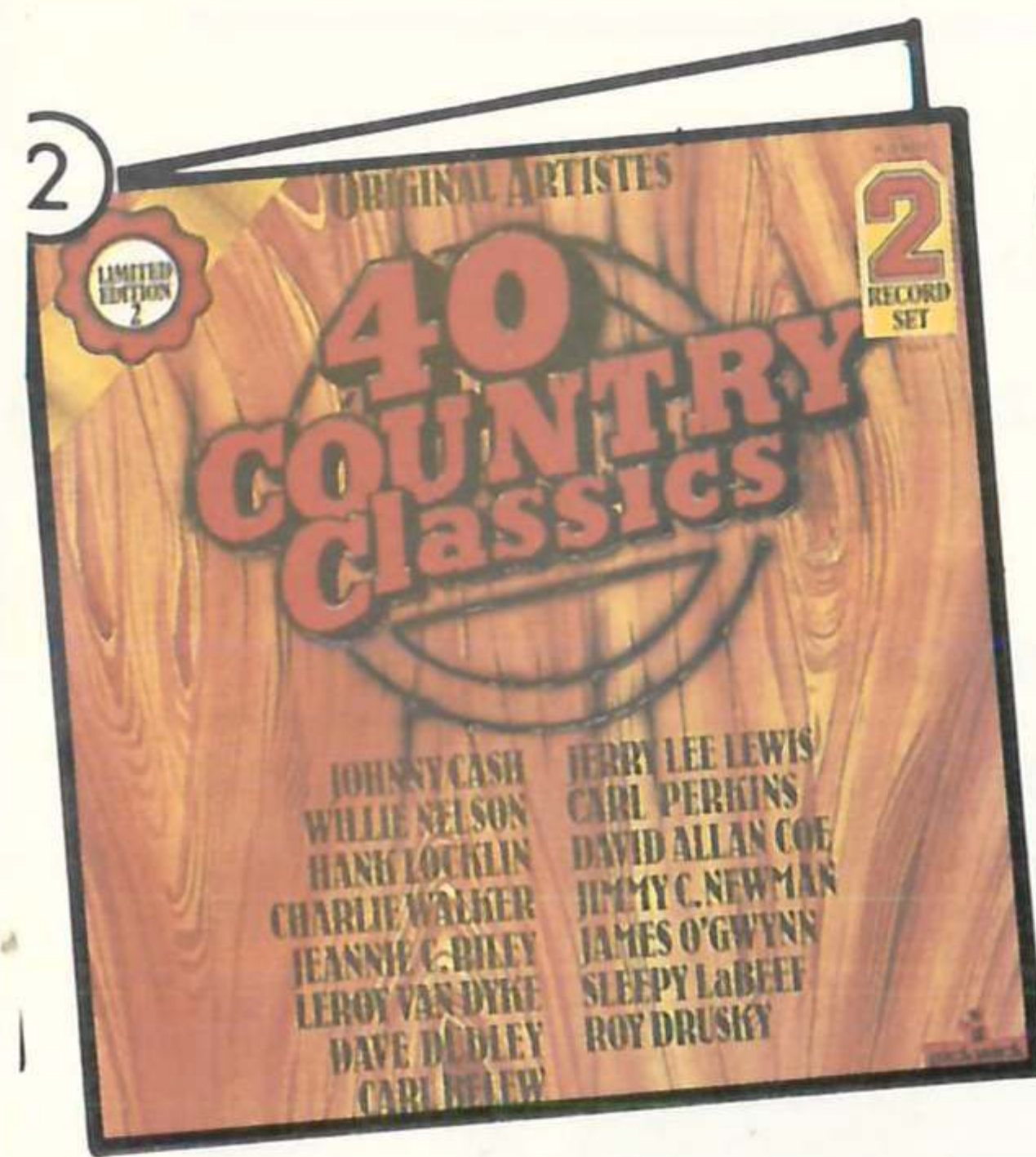
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However, the early seventies were a whole new ball game. Whilst the fans' appetites had been whetted by an FA Cup semi-final confrontation with Arsenal in 1970-71, it was to be 1971-72 season when the club was involved in no less than 25 ties in the Football League Cup, Texaco Cup and FA Cup. The record of those matches stands comparison with any club's cup achievements.

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Five ties were played on neutral ground, two won, two drawn and one lost with seven goals scored and six conceded.

The three defeats were 3-2 at Derby in the Texaco Cup, 2-1 at home to West Ham United in the League Cup and 2-1 at Goodison Park to Arsenal in the FA Cup. Incidentally from the 27th March 1971 to the 19th April 1972, Stoke played 4 FA Cup semi-final ties and 4 Football League Cup semi-final ties, a record that it is hard to imagine will be beaten for many years. In the two seasons 1970-71 and 1971-72 they were also involved in two third place play-offs in the FA Cup beating Everton 3-2 at Selhurst Park and losing on penalties to Birmingham City respectively.

Although the Wembley Final was memorable and the culmination of 109 years of striving for a major honour, the semi-final second replay at Old Trafford with West Ham United was a game of high excitement, pathos and controversy which via television had captured the imagination of the country.

49,247 fans gathered at Old Trafford on a rainy January night. The sides lined up: STOKES CITY: Banks, Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, Smith, Bloor, Conroy, Greenhoff, Ritchie, Dobing, Eastham. Sub. Mahoney.

WEST HAM UNITED: Ferguson, McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, Taylor, Moore, Radknapp, Best, Hurst, Brooking, Robson. Sub. Eustace.

The game was only 13 minutes old when Terry Conroy's leg caught Bobby Ferguson accidentally on the side of his head. Ferguson had to leave the field after much attention and Ron Greenwood, West Ham's manager came on to the pitch and was involved in the discussions as to who should replace him in goal, Bobby Moore went in and was soon facing a penalty. Mike Bernard's shot was too close to Moore's right hand and it was saved but following up Bernard put Stoke in front.

The 10 men of West Ham took control of the game and fully deserved to equalise through a deflected shot from Billy Bonds who was playing like two men in the middle of the park. Trevor Brooking then put them in front and Stoke looked demoralised. However, when a dazed Bobby Ferguson rejoined the fray Stoke started to shoot on sight. Peter Dobing shot home the equaliser and finally in the second half Terry Conroy slotted in the winner with a shot that Ferguson could only flap at as it went passed him.



GORDON BANKS

The tie had proved to be an epic serial, Ron Greenwood said disappointingly that Stoke had exploited Ferguson's handicap. But the classic remark was when a dazed Ferguson told reporters he didn't remember a thing about the game. Strange — every Stoke fan there thought it was unforgettable and a Wembley trip had been secured, at last.

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FACE TO FACE

Ian Greaves, manager of Bolton Wanderers, Face to Face with Chris Florence of BBC Radio Stoke.

Ian Greaves is realistic enough to state that Bolton must improve their results in the next few weeks to remain in the First Division. The Bolton manager who bought them out of the Second Division two years ago and kept them in the top flight last year now faces the task of making sure they do not go back down.

"There is nothing worse in life than losing. I take every defeat as a personal insult. It affects me, but it is important not to show it," he says.

As a manager, and former player brought up in football in the north, he knows all about grit and determination. "This is a time when a manager has to keep his head. If you sulk and moan the position gets even worse," he adds.

He has a simple answer to the question "what has gone wrong at Bolton this season?"

He sums up the position by saying that too many players have been out of form at the same time. And it is his job to remedy that situation as soon as possible. He

bought Len Cantello and Dave Clement to help him out of that position but still the results haven't come.

"It hasn't been easy with Peter Reid out of the side for so long. I never realised just how much we would miss him from the team. But we just have to battle our way through, hoping that we can turn the corner," he says with optimism.

And that battle will have to start soon if they are to preserve their senior position. "We must take advantage of our home games. It was our strength last year, and we must make sure we can do the same this time," he says.

But it is the away form which is causing greatest concern for him. Even when they lost at home to Manchester City last week they were still able to cause problems for their visitors. "But we are not performing in our away games. We are giving the ball away too easily, and are being hurried out of our strides," he adds.

So Ian Greaves knows what is going wrong at Bolton, and he feels he is on the right path towards correcting them. So if matters do not go their way in the end it will not be for a lack of his efforts.

FAMOUS VISITOR

Many of our supporters will have seen Len Cantello in the West Bromwich Albion colours, but today will probably provide the first opportunity of seeing him at the Victoria Ground in the colours of Bolton Wanderers whom he joined during the close season.

Born in Manchester, Len played regularly for Manchester and Lancashire Boys and won six England schoolboy caps before signing professional for WBA in October 1968, after seeming at one stage likely to join Manchester United. By the following March he was making his First Division debut at Sunderland and by 1971-72 he had won a regular place in

midfield and had begun to show his shooting power with goals against Southampton and Chelsea. That was also the season in which he arrived on the England Under-23 scene, making his debut at that level against East Germany.

He was one of Albion's most consistent players during their three seasons in Division Two and on their return to Division One he had a spell in the back row in which he proved just as effective as in midfield.

Last season he was as good as ever and enjoyed one of his best-ever games in the 5-3 win in his native Manchester. He had just taken his tally of appearances past the 300 mark

**LEN
CANTELLO**



by the end of the season. Then with his contract up he declined a new one in his desire to return north and the £350,000 (a Bolton record) that took him to Burnden Park could prove a good investment as the 'Trotters' fight to hold the midfield in games they must now start to win if they are to draw clear of danger.

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BOLTON



This has not been a happy season so far for Bolton Wanderers and after escaping relegation by a clear ten points, albeit only three places last season, they seem likely to be in for a tougher struggle to stay up in this their second season back in Division One.

The "Trotters", as they have been known over the years, have much in common with us, having been one of the twelve founder members of the Football League in 1888 and having spent most of their time in Division One and Two since then. Whereas we had just one season in Division Three in the '20s they had two seasons there in the '70s. Whereas our best-ever position in Division One is fourth, they climbed as high as third on three occasions though 1924-25 was the most recent of these. They have, however, won the F.A. Cup four times, the first being in the famous 1923 final at Wembley and the most recent in 1958 against the post-Munich Manchester United.

We last met them two seasons ago when both games were drawn in what was Wanderers' Second Division promotion year and they returned to Division One last season full of hopes after an absence of 14 seasons.

They pulled off a few good performances, notably a double over Manchester United and after being in the last three after a fortnight of the season they did not slip down there again.

THIS SEASON

Manager **Ian Greaves**, who in fact played for Manchester United against Bolton in the 1958 F.A. Cup Final, recognised that there was much work still to be done despite the relatively safe position of last season. The present season, however, began with 4 points from three games including a draw at Anfield in their first away match. Sadly they have not picked any away points since then and at home they have, up to the time of writing, won only one home game — against Southampton, but have lost only one to Southend in the League Cup. When their present long sequence of draws comes to an end one will be better able to judge their chances of climbing out of danger.

Certainly the fact that **Frank Worthington** couldn't recapture the form that brought him 26 goals last season and in due course

lost his place has proved a major problem. **Neil Whatmore**, a one-club man with nearly a hundred League and Cup goals to his credit, and **Alan Gowling** now well into his second hundred in a career that took him to Manchester United, Huddersfield and Newcastle before landing him at Bolton last season, are both scoring fairly regularly while **Willie Morgan** after over 600 League and Cup games that include two spells with Burnley and one with Manchester United, still has a few tricks up his sleeve.

He may be in midfield today rather than on the wing and he will be probably linking up there with **Roy Greaves** (over 500 games for his one and only club) and exciting new close-season signing **Len Cantello** from West Bromwich Albion. **David Burke**, who made his debut last season, may also be seen in this department while in defence **Paul Jones** has given great service in the centre in the course of well over 300 games, his partner in the last couple of seasons being **Mike Walsh**, another home-grown product.

Dave Clement from Queens Park Rangers has made the position his own on the right flank since moving from Queens Park Rangers during the close-season and on the opposite flank the most likely choice is one of the club's normal midfielders, either David Burke or **Neil McNab**, the former Coventry man who arrived from Spurs last season.

In goal **Jim McDonagh** has proved a tremendous bargain since moving from Rotherham for a reported £10,000 three years ago and he was an ever-present last season.

Also pressing for a place **Chris Thompson** has played a number of games in the number eleven shirt since making his debut a few weeks ago.

BOLTON WANDERERS

Front row (left to right): David Burke, Brian Smith, Roy Greaves, Neil Whatmore, Peter Reid, Dave Clement.

Middle row: Stan Anderson (*Assistant Manager*), Peter Nicholson, Jim McDonagh, Alan Gowling, Terry Poole, Mike Graham, Jim Headrige (*Physiotherapist*) Ian Greaves (*Manager*).

Back row: Paul Jones, Tadeusz Nowak, Len Cantello, Mike Walsh, Sam Allardyce, Neil McNab.



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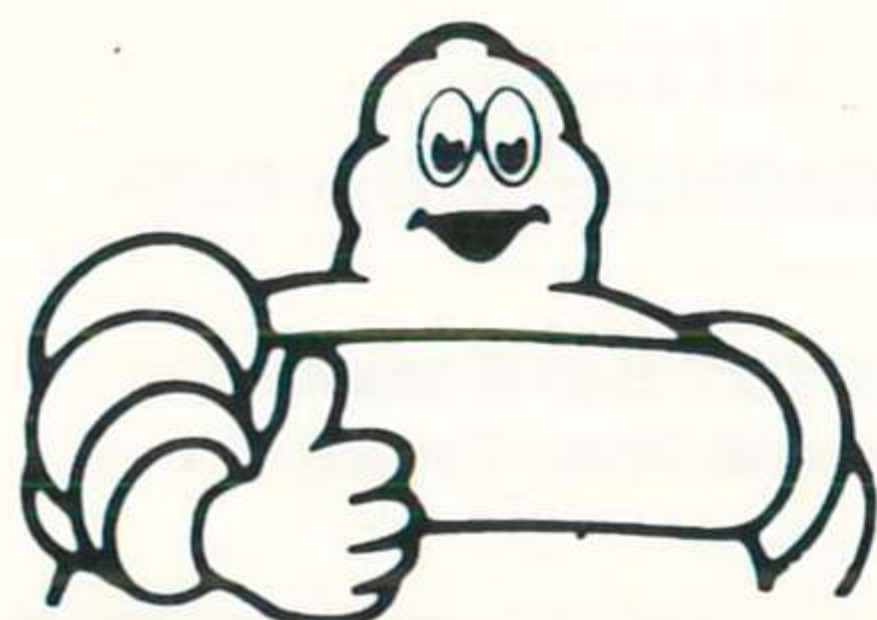
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GARTH'S DEBUT

But for an offside decision Garth Crooks would have made soccer record history by scoring four goals on his international debut for England Under-21's against Bulgaria in the European Championship game at fog-bound Filbert Street this week.

As it was Garth had to be content with a hat-trick which surely means he will be given the chance to play a part in the final stages of Young England's Championship bid now that they have reached the quarter-finals.

It will also be noticed that England manager Ron Greenwood is beginning to look ahead to the 1982 World Cup. Players like Glen Hoddle, Kenny Sansom and Viv Anderson stepped up to the full team this week and Crooks must have staked a claim for further promotion.

Yet it was only a change of weather conditions that led to Garth getting his chance. Forty minutes before the kick-off the referee was ready to call a postponement but a slight breeze enabled him later to see the corner flags from the centre of the field and the game went ahead.

Garth said: "When there was a late inspection I was worried that the game might not be played. I was happy once we had started but then there was the worry that the game might have to be called off at half time when we were already three goals up."

Crooks scored England's first goal after 18 minutes with a brave header after outjumping two Bulgarian defenders. Vince Hilaire and Gary Birtles added further goals before Garth hit home a rebound under goalkeeper Velinov's body after a shot by Graham Rix had been charged down.

When a shot by Birtles was palmed away by a defender in injury time Crooks was allowed to notch his hat-trick by blasting home from the

penalty spot to complete the 5-0 scoreline.

"Crooks has blossomed into an exciting player," said Under-21 manager Dave Sexton.

Garth is the first Stoke player to appear in the new Under-21 internationals. Several have played at Under-23 level and more recent selections were Alan Hudson, Jimmy Greenhoff, Ian Moore, Alan Dodd (1976), Mike Pejic (1973), Mike Bernard (1971), John Farmer (1967). It was a double by England over Bulgaria for they won 3-1 in the away tie last June when Norwich's Kevin Reeves scored twice and is now in the full squad. Which suggests Garth may not be too far away from promotion if he maintains his season's form.

SCOTT FAMILY OUT IN FORCE

Geoff Scott almost joined Aston Villa on leaving school but turned down an apprentice offer on the advice of his father who was keen for his son to take up a trade before turning to football.

His family remained Villa fans until Geoff joined Stoke two years ago from Birmingham junior club Highgate. Gradually he has persuaded them to change their allegiance although it is often said that "once a Villa fan, always a Villa fan."

So it was quite an occasion when the Scott family turned out in force to see Geoff stepping out at Villa Park and treasuring the moment when he scored his first goal in the First Division.

Earlier this week Alan Durban had reminded Geoff that it was about time he scored a goal, his previous one coming against Blackburn in March, 1978 shortly after manager Durban's arrival on the Potteries scene.

Now Ray Evans will be keen to get his name on the scoring sheet having scored eleven during his London travels with Spurs, Millwall and Fulham.

FA YOUTH CUP

Next hurdle for the Youth squad will be away to Southern Leaguers Bedford Town next Wednesday in the second round of the FA Youth Cup. The previous night Stoke have a trip to Redditch in the Staffordshire Senior Cup.

RESERVES AND JUNIORS

Bristol Rovers 'A' 0 Stoke 'A' 1

Both clubs fielded experienced sides, and a reasonable crowd had gathered with the return of their former favourite Paul Randall.

Stoke set off well, putting the home team under pressure with a number of corners. It was no surprise when Simpson scored a fine goal following a throw in. Little was seen of Bristol's attack with Eccleston and McAughtrie doing a splendid job at the back. The score remained 1-0 at half time. Bristol threatened more in the second half, but created very little, and it was Stoke with Randall going close on a couple of occasions, looking the more likely side.

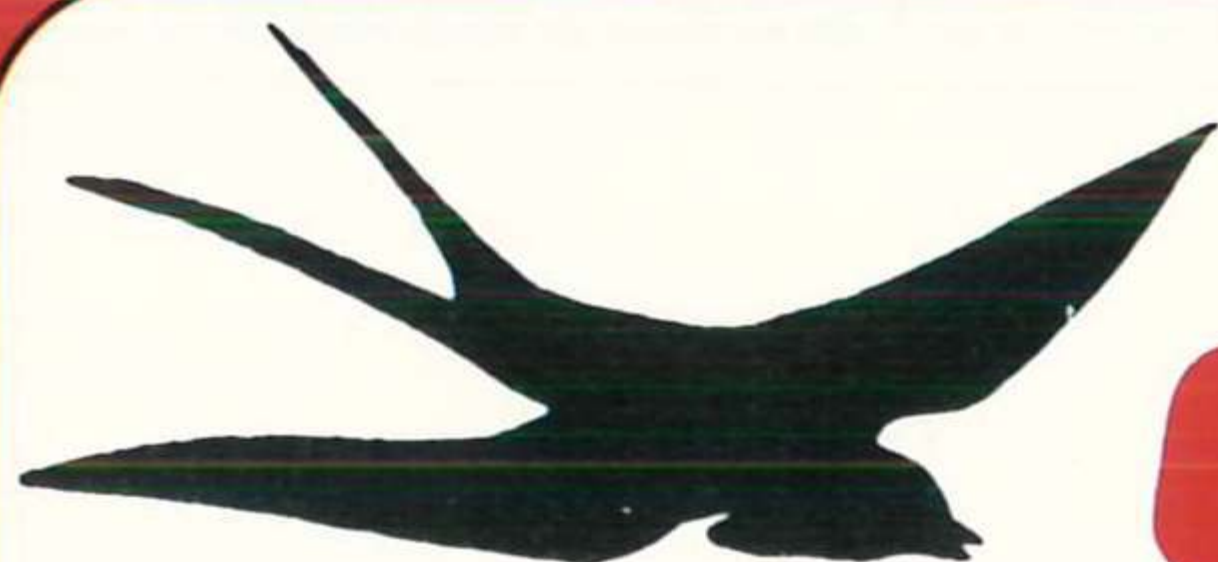
However, as the game progressed, Bristol pushed men forward and Fox, who had had very little to do, came to the rescue on a couple of occasions and once in particular pulled off an incredible save. Fortunately, Stoke fought to hold on to their lead, and deservedly came away with two very good points. It had been an excellent team effort with Morgan and Simpson competing well in midfield, helped by McGroarty and Nelson who had worked hard in both attack and defence in the flanks. It had been a very satisfying performance against a strong Bristol side.

TONY LACEY

Aston Villa Res. 1 Stoke Res. 1

Peter Fox all but kept his fourth clean sheet in succession, but Donovan equalised for Villa right on time. Lee Chapman kept amongst the goals with a good header just before half time. Jeff Cook unfortunately received marching orders with just ten minutes to go. Fox was understandably the man of the match with brilliant saves from Donovan, Morley (ex-Burnley) and Carrodus (ex-Manchester City).

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LEAGUE DIVISION ONE FIXTURES 1979-80										CENTRAL LEAGUE FIXTURES 1979-80									
ATT	F-A	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12						
23,153	3-2	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Doyle	Busby ¹	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks ²	Ursem +	Richardson	Aug. 18 Sheffield Wednesday					
26,147	0-1	Fox	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Doyle	Busby	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	—	Aug. 22 Coventry City					
22,832	3-1	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Doyle	Busby	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks ²	Ursem	Richardson	Aug. 27 Huddersfield Town					
18,477	1-1	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine +	Smith ¹	Doyle	Busby	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Ursem	Richardson	Sept. 1 Wolverhampton					
17,539	1-3	Jones	Richardson	Scott	Irvine +	Smith	Doyle	Randall	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks ²	Richardson	Busby	Sept. 8 Blackpool					
20,039	3-1	Jones	Dodd	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Doyle	Randall	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	Busby	Sept. 15 Sheffield United					
23,460	2-3	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine* +	Smith ¹	Doyle	Randall	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	Busby	Sept. 18 Blackburn Rovers					
16,662	0-0	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Doyle	Dodd	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	Dodd	Sept. 22 Everton					
19,225	1-2	Fox	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith ¹	Doyle	Busby	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks +	Ursem	Randall	Sept. 29 Bury					
15,255	2-2	Fox	Evans	Scott	Irvine +	Smith	Doyle	Busby	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks ¹	Richardson	Randall	Oct. 6 Nottingham Forest					
52,357	0-4	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Doyle	Dodd	Heath +	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	Randall	Oct. 9 Coventry City					
15,823	1-2	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Doyle	Dodd	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	Busby	Oct. 13 Derby County					
17,060	2-2	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith +	Doyle	Dodd	Heath	Chapman ¹	Crooks	Randall	Busby	Oct. 20 Manchester United					
28,514	1-1	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Dodd	Johnson PA	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	—	Oct. 24 Bolton Wanderers					
18,406	0-0	Jones	Evans	Scott	Doyle	Smith	Dodd	Johnson PA	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	—	Oct. 27 Preston North End					
31,501	0-0	Jones	Evans	Scott	Irvine	Smith	Dodd	Irvine +	Heath	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	Busby	Nov. 3 Sheffield Wednesday					
18,530	3-2	Jones	Evans	Johnson	Johnson PA	Smith	Dodd	Johnson PA	Heath ¹	O'Callaghan	Crooks ¹	Richardson	—	Nov. 10 Aston Villa					
16,761	3-1	Jones	Evans	Scott	Johnson PA	Smith	Dodd	Heath ¹	Irvine	O'Callaghan	Crooks ¹	Richardson	—	Nov. 17 Burnley					
26,061	0-1	Jones	Evans	Scott	Johnson PA ¹	Smith	Dodd	Heath	Irvine	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Richardson	Randall	Nov. 24 Newcastle United					
27,086	1-2	Jones	Evans	Scott ¹	Johnson PA	Smith	Dodd	Heath	Irvine	O'Callaghan	Crooks	Randall	—	Dec. 1 Liverpool					
														Dec. 8 West Bromwich Albion					
														Dec. 15 Leeds United					
														Dec. 21 Manchester City					
														Dec. 29 Huddersfield Town					
														Jan. 1 Blackburn Rovers					
														Jan. 8 Wolverhampton					
														Jan. 19 Blackpool					
														Feb. 2 Sheffield United					
														Feb. 9 Everton					
														Feb. 16 Bury					
														Feb. 23 Derby County					
														Mar. 1 Manchester United					
														Mar. 8 Preston North End					
														Mar. 14 Nottingham Forest					
														Mar. 22 Aston Villa					
														Mar. 29 Burnley					
														April 5 Bolton Wanderers					
														April 7 Manchester City					
														April 12 Liverpool					
														April 19 Newcastle United					
														April 26 Leeds United					
														May 3 West Brom. Albion					

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DIV. ONE STATISTICS 1979-80									
Best Gates:									
54,308 Man. Utd. v Derby — 15-9-79									
53,393 Man. Utd. v W.B.A. — 22-8-79									
Lowest Gate:									
14,494 Middlesbro' v Bristol City — 17-11-79									
Highest Home Win									
Southampton 5 Spurs 2 — 15-9-79									
Nott'm Forest 5 Bolton 2 — 20-10-79									
Highest Away Win									
W.B.A 1 Nott'm Forest 5 — 1-9-79									
DIV. ONE HOT SHOTS 1979-80									
(including League Cup)									
BOYER, Southampton									
DALGLISH, Liverpool									
KIDD, Everton									
STAPLETON, Arsenal									
HODDLE, Tottenham									
JOHNSON, Liverpool									
SUNDERLAND, Arsenal									
CROOKS, Stoke City									
ROBSON, W.B.A.									
REEVES, Norwich									
WALLACE, Coventry									

FIRST DIVISION ATTENDANCE AVERAGES									
Best									
Average									
Manchester United									
Liverpool									
Manchester City									
Arsenal									
Tottenham									
Crystal Palace									
Everton									
Aston Villa									
Wolverhampton									
Nottingham Forest									
Brighton									
Leeds United									
West Bromwich Albion									
Stoke City									
Southampton									
Bristol City									
Ipswich Town									
Bolton Wanderers									
Middlesbrough									
Derby County									
Coventry City									
Norwich City									

FIRST DIVISION ATTENDANCE AVERAGES

	Best	Average
Manchester United	54,308	52,194(8)
Liverpool	52,201	46,126(8)
Manchester City	50,067	38,787(8)
Arsenal	44,371	35,504(8)
Tottenham	49,038	33,812(8)
Crystal Palace	45,296	32,486(8)
Everton	37,708	28,648(8)
Aston Villa	36,007	28,585(8)
Wolverhampton	36,267	28,546(7)
Nottingham Forest	28,262	25,864(8)
Brighton	29,682	25,594(7)
Leeds United	39,779	24,975(8)
West Bromwich Albion	26,851	23,148(8)
Stoke City	28,514	22,527(8)
Southampton	23,714	22,477(8)
Bristol City	28,783	20,521(8)
Ipswich Town	27,371	20,415(8)
Bolton Wanderers	25,571	19,903(8)
Middlesbrough	24,521	19,174(8)
Derby County	21,727	18,707(8)
Coventry City	20,125	17,961(8)
Norwich City	18,621	17,929(8)

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DIV. ONE HOT SHOTS 1979-80 (including League Cup)	
BOYER, Southampton	15
DALGLISH, Liverpool	12
KIDD, Everton	11
STAPLETON, Arsenal	11
HODDLE, Tottenham	10
JOHNSON, Liverpool	10
SUNDERLAND, Arsenal	10
CROOKS, Stoke City	9
ROBSON, W.B.A.	9
REEVES, Norwich	9
WALLACE, Coventry	9

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LEAGUE DIVISION ONE TABLE 1979-80

	Home				Away				
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	A Pts
Liverpool	15	5	3	0	18	4	3	2	14 8 21
Manchester United	16	7	1	0	14	2	1	4	3 6 9 21
Crystal Palace	16	5	3	0	15	3	1	5	2 8 12 20
Nottingham Forest	16	6	1	1	16	6	2	2	4 10 12 19
Arsenal	16	3	3	2	9	5	3	3	2 10 6 18
Norwich City	16	5	3	0	17	8	2	1	5 11 13 18
Middlesbrough	16	5	3	0	9	2	2	1	5 6 8 18
Tottenham	16	6	1	1	13	8	1	3	4 8 17 18
Aston Villa	15	4	2	2	10	8	1	5	1 6 6 17
Wolverhampton	15	3	3	1	9	6	4	0	4 10 13 17
Coventry City	16	6	1	1	17	8	2	0	6 10 21 15
Manchester City	16	5	1	2	10	7	2	2	4 6 14 17
Southampton	16	5	1	2	24	12	1	2	5 3 12 15
W.B.A.	16	5	2	1	19	9	0	3	5 4 11 15
Everton	16	2	3	3	13	12	2	3	3 8 11 14
Bristol City	16	2	4	2	7	7	2	2	4 3 7 11 14
Leeds United	16	3	2	3	10	10	1	4	3 7 14 14
Stoke City	16	3	2	3	13	12	1	3	4 7 13 13
Derby County	16	4	0	4	11	9	1	2	5 4 13 12
Ipswich Town	16	3	2	3	8	7	2	0	6 5 14 12
Brighton	15	2	2	3	8	13	1	1	6 8 16 9
Bolton	16	1	6	1	6	6	0	1	7 6 22 9

CENTRAL LEAGUE TABLE 1979-80

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Coventry City	18	11	2	5	49	27	24
Aston Villa	17	8	8	1	29	13	24
Manchester City	19	9	6	4	31	19	24
Liverpool	18	11	1	6	46	23	23
Wolverhampton	18	10	3	5	41	19	23
Manchester Utd	19	8	6	5	33	26	22
Sheffield Wed	18	9	4	5	29	24	22
Burnley	17	10	2	5	20	19	22
Everton	19	8	5	6	29	22	21
Derby County	20	7	5	8	30	23	19
W.B.A.	19	5	8	6	29	24	18
Nott'm Forest	18	6	6	6	23	22	18
Preston	19	6	6	7	21	28	18
Bury	17	8	2	7	25	24	18
Newcastle United	19	6	5	8	20	27	17
Leeds United	18	7	2	9	25	31	16
Blackpool	18	7	2	9	27	34	16
Stoke City	17	5	5	7	23	25	15
Huddersfield	19	6	3	10	26	28	15
Blackburn	20	4	4	12	23	46	12
Bolton Wanderers	19	3	3	13	21	41	9
Sheffield United	18	4	0	14	24	57	8

DIVISION ONE APPEARANCES AND GOALSCORERS 1979-80

	App	FA/FLC	Gls
Busby	1	4(4)	2(2)
Chapman	1	—	—
Crooks	16	4	9
Dodd	10(1)	3	—
Doyle	9	4	—
Evans	15	3	—
Fox	2	1	—
Heath	15	4	2
Irvine	16	4	1
Johnson P.	1	—	—
Johnson P. A.	7	—	—
Jones	14	3	—
O'Callaghan	15	3	4
Randall	4(2)	2(1)	1
Richardson	13(3)	2	2
Scott	15	3	1
Smith	16	4	3
Ursem	4	1	—
Own Goals	—	—	1

Figures in brackets denotes appearances as substitute

Up to and incl. Sat. 17th Nov.

MASCOT OF THE DAY



Today's Mascot is 10-year-old Garry Cooper from 3 Rown Close, Ravenscliffe, Kidsgrove. Garry attends St. Josephs RC School, Goldenhill, and his favourite players are Garth Crooks and Denis Smith.

CENTRAL LEAGUE APPEARANCES AND GOALSCORERS 1979-80

	App	Gls
Barron	1	—
Bracewell	14(2)	—
Brisset	9	—
Bullock	—(1)	—
Busby	3(1)	1
Chapman	13	8
Cook	12	1
Dodd	6	4
Doyle	2	—
Eccleston	8(1)	—
Elphick	6	—
Fox	11	—
Johnson P.	13	—
Johnson P. A.	9	—
Jones	1	—
McAughtrie	1	—
McGroarty	10(4)	1
McManus	4	—
Morgan	2(1)	—
Nelson	2	1
Parnaby	3	—
Pejic	10(1)	1
Randall	6	2
Sheldon	8	1
Simpson	3(3)	—
Thorley	17	—
Ursem	8	1
Wright	1	—

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ROGER JONES	1	JIM McDONAGH
RAY EVANS	2	DAVE CLEMENT
GEOFF SCOTT	3	DAVE BURKE
PAUL JOHNSON	4	ROY GREAVES
ALAN DODD	5	PAUL JONES
MIKE DOYLE	6	MIKE WALSH
SAMMY IRVINE	7	WILLIE MORGAN
ADRIAN HEATH	8	NEIL WHATMORE
BRENDAN O'CALLAGHAN	9	ALAN GOWLING
GARTH CROOKS	10	LEN CANTELLO
PAUL RANDALL	11	NEIL McNAB
	12	

SCORECHECK

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 S. V. JONES, Stourbridge (Yellow Flag)

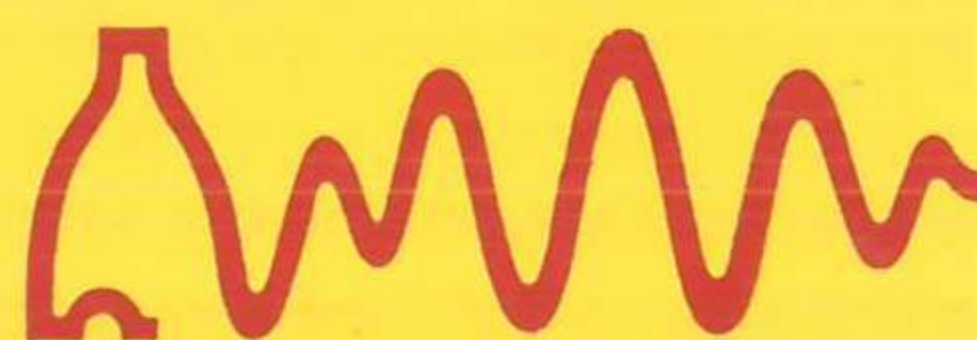
Arsenal v Liverpool		Luton Town v Birmingham City	
Aston Villa v Leeds United		Notts County v Chelsea	
Bristol City v Manchester City		Oldham v Shrewsbury	
Crystal Palace v Coventry City		Preston v Orient	
Derby County v Nott'm Forest		Q.P.R. v Charlton Athletic	
Everton v Tottenham		Sunderland v Bristol Rovers	
Ipswich Town v Southampton		Swansea v Newcastle United	
Manchester United v Norwich City		West Ham United v Cardiff City	
Middlesbrough v Brighton		F.A. CUP — FIRST ROUND	
Wolverhampton v W.B.A.		Altrincham v Crewe	
Burnley v Cambridge United		Nuneaton v Northwich	
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